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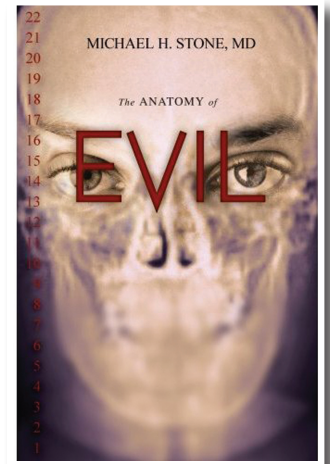
## PRE-CONFERENCE

### At the Extremes of Violence: Serial Killers, Mass Murder; Psychopathic & Sadistic Personality

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*For twenty years, Dr. Stone has researched various forms of murder, focusing on serial sexual homicide, uxoricide, and mass murder. He hosted the Discovery Channel series entitled Most Evil, devoted to the exploration of the causative factors behind men and women committing murders that were accounted "evil" by the media and the general public. In this presentation, Dr. Stone discusses psychopathic and sadistic personality disorders in the case of serial killers, and paranoid personality, often with schizoid features, in the case of mass murder. Background factors, including genetic predisposition, head injury, substance abuse, and environmental factors are also addressed.*



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